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Education

2009-2012 The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan (C/C++, Qt, ROS in Robotics Research)

• Master of Engineering in Precision Engineering (Mobile Robotics Lab.), GPA 3.87/4.00

2005-2009 Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand (Java, C/C++ in Courses)

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering, First-class honours, GPA 3.61/4.00

Professional Experience Highlights

2012-Current Big Data Department, Rakuten, Inc.

[Search Engine Administrator] (Ruby, Chef, Java and Bash)

- Deployed and maintained global search engine platform for 12 services in Japan and many other countries all over the world such as UK (Play.com), Spain, Malaysia, Indonesia and etc.
- Administrated over large-scale clusters (>> 1000 nodes) including with many open sources components such as Hadoop, Zookeeper, Cassandra and Solr
- Introduced Chef automation framework which resulted in reducing man-hour by ~80% of all operation [Infrastructure developer] (Node.js, Angular.js, MySQL, Ruby, Chef, Cobbler and Golang)
 - Designed, developed and maintained hardware inventory, automation tools and API to automate whole infrastructure provisioning in both Japan and Europe data centers (> 2000 physical servers)
 - Automated deployment tools and infrastructure configurations using Chef framework

2007-2008 Robot Club, Chulalongkorn University

[Club President & Robocup Soccer Team Leader]

- Led team to win 1st place in World Robocup Championship, Suzhou, China, 2008
- Managed team of different roles and backgrounds composed of mechanical, electrical and computer engineers, delegated responsibilities among 16 members, led team in implementation, and communication between different roles
- Developed firmware and embedded system as a main processer on soccer robots (FPGA/Verilog)
- Created ball-kicker power tuner application (C#) for AI in robot soccer which resulted in maximizing and stabilizing kick power at world competitions
- Made sponsor finding team, created organizer website (PHP & SQL) and proposed robot project plans to many organizations which leads to sponsor funds of total 1.2 million baht
- Organized robotics boot camps for new generations in university (> 100 engineers)

Selected Honors and Awards

- 1st prize, International Startup Weekend Tokyo, 2014 (New business model + small implementation)
- 1st prize, Photo Hack Day Japan, 2014 (Node.js, site: http://timetravel-gettyimages.jp)
- Japanese Embassy Scholarship (MEXT) 2009-2012
- 2nd and 1st place, World Robocup Championship in 2007 and 2008 (USA & China)
- 2nd place, 11th National Software Contest (Open source software), Thailand, 2009 (C++)
- Bronze Awards in Mobile Application, Samart Innovation Awards, 2007 (Java)

Selected Skills and Abilities

- Framework: Chef, Sails.js, Angular.js, Qt SDK, OpenCV, ROS, MRPT
- **Programming:** C/C++, Golang, Node.js, Ruby, Python, Java, C#, Verilog
- Language: Thai(native), English (TOEIC 985), Japanese